

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A system of a recordable medium and a recording apparatus for recording programs on the recordable medium, the recordable medium comprises a ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction, and the recording apparatus comprises:

a receiver for receiving receivable programs~~TL~~

a comparator for comparing the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction on the recordable medium with program information on the receivable programs; and

~~means for recording~~ to record a particular one of the receivable programs on the recordable medium only if the particular one of the receivable programs matches the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction.

2. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The system as claimed in claim 1, wherein the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction comprises an indication of a specific type of program to be recorded on the recordable medium.

3. (Currently Amended) A recording apparatus for use in a system as claimed in claim 1, the recording apparatus comprises:

a receiver for receiving receivable programs~~TL~~

a comparator for comparing the search instruction ~~recorded~~
~~pre-recorded~~ on the recordable medium with program information on
the receivable programs; and
~~means for recording-to-record~~ a particular one of the
receivable programs on the recordable medium only if the particular
one of the receivable programs matches the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~
search instruction.

4. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in
claim 3, wherein the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction
comprises an indication of a specific type of program to be
recorded on the recordable medium.

5. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in
claim 4, wherein the recording apparatus further ~~comprising~~
~~comprises~~ an information receiver for receiving the program
information indicating a type and times of occurrence of the
receivable programs to supply the program information ~~on receivable~~
~~programs~~ to the comparator.

6. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in
claim 5, wherein the information receiver comprises a teletext
receiver for scanning teletext pages containing the program
information ~~on receivable programs~~.

7. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in claim 3, ~~wherein the recording apparatus further comprising comprises~~ a controller for checking whether a still free space on the recordable medium is sufficient to record the receivable program matching the specific type of program, ~~for causing the recording means to~~ record the program matching in the free space, if sufficient, or ~~for causing the recording means to delete at least one already recorded program to free sufficient space to record the program matching the specific type of program.~~

8. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in claim 7, wherein the at least one already recorded program comprises a recorded program recorded earliest.

9. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in claim 3, wherein the recording apparatus is a recorder for recording programs on an optical medium, and wherein the programs are TV-broadcast programs.

10. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The~~ recording apparatus as claimed in claim 3, wherein the recording apparatus is a DVD-recorder.

11. (Currently Amended) ~~A-recording apparatus~~The system as claimed in claim 1, wherein
the recordable medium is a removable recordable medium.

the recording apparatus further comprises a further storage medium, ~~and~~

the comparator ~~is adapted for further comparing~~ compares the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction with program information on programs recorded on the further storage medium, ~~to record~~ the recording means recording on the recordable medium a particular one of the programs recorded only if the particular one of the programs recorded matches the recorded search instruction.

12. (Currently Amended) A recordable medium for use in the system of claim 1, the recordable medium comprising the ~~recorded pre-recorded~~ search instruction.

13. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The recordable medium as claimed in claim 12, wherein the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction comprises an indication of a specific type of program to be recorded on the recordable medium.

14. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The recordable medium as claimed in claim 12, wherein the recordable medium further comprises a visible marking indicating the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction.

15. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The recordable medium as claimed in claim ~~13~~ 14, wherein the visible marking comprises a text and/or image label indicating the specific type of program to be recorded.

16. (Currently Amended) A method of recording programs on a recordable medium comprising a ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction, the method comprises:

receiving receivable programs;

comparing the recorded search instruction with program information on the receivable programs; and

~~recording to record~~ a particular one of the receivable programs on the recordable medium only if the program information of the particular one of the receivable programs matches the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction.

17. (Currently Amended) ~~A~~ The method as claimed in claim 16, wherein said method further comprising the step of:
~~reading the recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction from the recordable medium, the ~~recorded-pre-recorded~~ search instruction comprising an indication of a specific type of program,
and wherein the program information comprises an indication of a type of the receivable programs.